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Victoria, B. C., April, 1878.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

MEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tender tor keeping sections of Clinton-Alexandra. Alexandra and Cameronton road in will be received by the undersigned up to the 19th of May next, for keeping the tollowing sections of said road in repair, for one year from the 25th May, 1873, or the date of the Execution of contract.

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post, Alexandra road.

Section No. 4-177-mile post to Quesnelle-Section No. 5-Quesnelle-mouth to Cameron-

Specifications can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria; the office, Govern-ment Agent, New Westminster; the office, Government Agent, Yale; office Thos. Buie, Brq., Lytton; office Charles Pope, Esq., Clinton; R. M. Leese, Esq., Soda Creek; Government Agency, Lillooct; Post Office, Quesnellemouth; office John Bowron, Esq.,

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> ROBERT BEAVEN, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. Lands and Works Department, April 14, 1873. apl5-daw td

# PUBLIC NOTICE.

TEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 19th May, 1873, for the right of maintaining a Ferry for a term of Three years, across Fraser River a

The said Ferry to be worked by horse power and to be capable of carrying not less than Ten Pack Animals and their loads.

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ROBERT BEAVEN, Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works,

Victoria, Stat March, 1873. APPOINTMENTS.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. TT is hereby notified, for general information, that GILBERT MALCOLM SPROAT, Esq. 14 Lime Street Square, London, was, to wards the end of the year 1872, appointed Agent-General in England for the Province of British Columbia. By Command.

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#### PILOT BOARD NOTICES.

Pilot Board have elected Captain J. A. RAYMUR, to be Chairman, and T. L. STAHL-SCHMIDT, ESQUIRS, Acting Chairman of the By order of the Board. J. A. RAYMUR, Chairman.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the examination of ROBEBT HICKS, as a Pilot, will take place at the Office of Messrs. Lowe, Stablschmidt, and Co., on Monday, the 21st

By Order of the Board. J. A. RAYMUR, Chairman.

> PILOT BOARD OFFICE 19th April 1873.

THE following additions to the Rules and Orders for the Regulation of Pilots and Pilotage in the Province of British Columbia, baving been made and passed by the Governor in Council, in pursuance of "The Pilotage Ordinance, 1867," are hereby published in conformity to the provisions of the

anid Ordinance.

By Order of the Board

T. L. STAHLSCHMIDT,

Acting Chairm

shall thereby be suspended, pending the investigation by and decision of the Board. To be numbered 8c. It shall be the duty of every Licensed Pilot at once to report to the Pilot Board any accident that may have happened to a versel when under his charge.

> VCTORIA, 15th April, 1873.

THE following Resolutions of the Pilot Board is published for general information. By Order of the Bo J. A. RAYMUR.

The Barque Almatia having been, on the night of the 22nd March, 1873, stranded on the North-West end of Gossip Island, while in charge of Pilot Alexander McKinnon, and the P.lot Board having considered the evidence adduced as to the causes which led to the disaster in question, find that the said Pilot stranded the Almatia by attempting to take her through Plumper Pass when he was not certain of his position, and that he was guilty of negligence in so much as he did not exercise the utmost diligence and attention in the prosecution of his duty.

The Board have therefore suspended the Licence of Pilot McKinnon until the 1st

July now next ensuing. In the Matter of Charles Deller

Deceased. TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION at Nicola Val.

ley, by order of the Official Adminis We nesday, 28th May next, on the premises. 73 Head of Cattle and upwards, 16 Horses, Pigs, Poultry, Parmi g Implements, Hay, Potatoes, and other articles.

By order of the Court dated the 18th day of April, 1873 he interest of the deceased in pre-emption claim 243 ontaining 160 acres and pre-emption claim No. 34 containing 160 acres.

This Lund is well watered and good bottom land partly fenced and has a good range for Stock.

G. E. POOLEY,

official Administrator.

HE PARTNERSHIP hitherto subsisting between us, John aughan and John Woods, Butchers in Fort Street, Victoria, is this day dissolved by matual consent. All debts due from the Firm will be assumed by John Vaughan, and all debts due to the arm are to be received by him alone All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to settle their accounts on or before Wednesday May 7th, Jated this 28th day of April, 1873.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETART'S OFFICE

26th April, 1873. IS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNO has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Registrars of certain Electoral Districts, under and to carry out the provisions of "The Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1871 :"-

Victoria City and District, R. Woods, Esq. Esquimalt District, W. Fisher, Esq. Cowichan, J. Morley, Esq. Nanaima, T. L. Fawcett, Esq. Comox, R. H. Pidcock, Esq.

By Command.

JOHN ASH, Provincia' Secretary. PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

26th April, 1873. HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Returning Officers for the several Electoral Districts of the Province under and to carry out the provisions of "The Members Indemnity Act, 1873:" Victoria City and District, R. Woods, Esq. Esquimalt District, C. Prevost, Esq. Comox, R. H. Pidcock, Esq. Cowichan, J. Morley, Esq.

Nanaimo, T. L. Fawcett, Esq. By Command. JOHN ASH, Provincial Secretary.

# COLONIAL HOTEL.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO INFORM their patrons at home and abroad that having purchased the

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By Order of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Victoria, 7th May, 1873, BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 29th April, 1873.

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR directs the publication of the annexed corresponence, covering the reply of his Excellency the Governor-General to the Address of th Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, congratulating His Excellency on his assumption of the government of Canada. By Command.

JOHN ASH, Provincial Secretary

Secretary of State for the Provinces to His Exthe Lieutenant-Governor of British cellency the Lieutene Columbia, Victoria. Ottawa, April 5th, 1873.

Adverting to your Despatch No. 28. of the 6th ult:, I have the honour to transmit to you, berewith, for the information of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, a copy of a letter from the Governor-General's Secretary, covering the reply (also enclosed) of His Excellency the Governor-General to the Address of that Bedy, congratulating His Excellency on his assumption of the Government of Canada.

(Signed) JOSEPH HOWE.

Mr. H. C. Fietcher to the Secretary of State for the Provinces

Governor-General's Office Ottawa, April 4th, 1873. I have the honor to enclose herein His Excellency the Governor-General's reply to the Address of the Legislative Assembly of British

Columbia, and to request you will have the goodness to forward it to the Lieutenant Governor of that Province. I have, etc., H. C. FLETCHER. (Signed)

Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia:-

In returning to you my sincere thanks for the cordial expression of gratification at my appointment to the Government of the Dominion, conveyed to me in your Address, I desire to assure you of the sincere pleasure it affords me to witness the proofs of the devoted loyalty to the Throne which are conspicuous throughout the Dominion, no less on the

Atlantic. I trust that I may, at no distant time, have an opportunity of visiting British Columbia and making myself better acquainted with a portion of the Dominion, soon I hope to be brought in closer connection with the Eastern

In the meanwhile I shall watch with deep interest the effect of all measures tending to the development of its resources, feeling sure that your earnest attention will be given to whatever may conduce to render the future of the vast country West of the Rocky Mountains commensurate with the hopes that are entertained regarding it. You may rest as-sured that so effort will be spared on my part to further as far as lies in my power the moral and material prosperity of the Domin-ion, and my hopes of success are encouraged by feeling myself united in these labours with eminent persons, like yourselves, who are devoting their best talents and energies to so

noble an oject. Government House, Ottawa.

April 4th, 1873.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 25th April, 1873. HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the tollowing gentlemen to receive application for Registrations and Record, under the provisions of "The Land Registry Act, 1870," "The Land Registry Act, 1879, and "The Land Registry Amendment Act, 1873," and to perform the duties heretofore allotted to the Stipendiary Magistrates under "The Bills of Sale Ordinance, 1870," and "The Bills of Sale Amendment Act, 1873," and the "Cattle Exemption Act, 1871," in and for the

Electoral Districts, or Polling Divisions of Electoral Districts, set opposite their respective names :-W. H. Fitzgerald, Esq., Polling Division of

Omineca. J. Bowron, Esq., Polling Divisions of Richfield and Lightning Creek.
O. Hare, Esq., Polling Divisions of Keith-ley Creek and Quesnelmouth. C. E. Pope, Esq., Polling Divisions of Williams Lake, Canoe Creek, and Clinton. A. W. Smith, Esq., Polling Division of

W. Teague, Esq., Electoral District of H. V. Edmonds, Esq., Electoral Districts of New Westminster City and District. C. Booth, Esq., Electoral District of Koot-

enay. By Command. JOHN ASH. Provincial Secretary.

## NOTICE.

COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND GAOL DELIVERY and of NISI PRIUS will be held at each of the undermentioned places as follows, except the same be her after changed by Order in Council :-

SPRING CIRCUIT. New Westminster, Wednesday, 14th May, Yale, Monday, 19th May, Lytton, Thursday, 22nd May. Kamloops, Wednesday, 28th May, Clinton, Monday, 2nd June, Quesnelle, Friday, 6th June, Richfield, Tuesday, 17th June.

FALL CIRCUIT.

Richfield, Tuesday, 16th September, Queenelle mouth, to be fixed hereafter, if any business, Clinton, Thursday, 2nd October, Kamloops, Tuesday, 7th October, Lytton, Monday, 13th October, Yale, Thursday, 16th October, New Westminster, Tuesday, 21st October. Assizes at Nanaimo and elsewhere will,

ben necessary, be bereafter fixed. Dated, 17th day of April, 1873. By Command.

JOHN ASH, Provincial Secretary.

Municipal Revenue By-Law, 1873."

ALL PERSONS LIABLE for Trading and Spirit Licenses under the above By-Law, are hereby rotified to pay the same without delay at the office of the undersigned. Summorses will be immediately issued against ithose one who neglect to pay up their Licenses.

THOMAS RUSSELL,

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Copper-fastened, partially deck anis, 2 pairs of oars, brass rowlocks, &c-Apply to NORRIS & WYLLY. Victoria, 9th May, 1873.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.



PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ire-land, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all whom these presents shall some,-

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GRO. A. WALKEN, WHEREAS A Sec-Attorney General. Wition 40 of "The Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1878," it is provided, amongst other things, that "In "case two thirds of the Municipal Council of "any City, Town, or District, duly incor-"porated, do pass a resolution affirming the "expediency of extending the limits of such "Corporation, the Lieutenant Governor in "Council may extend the limits of such Cor-"peration, and the same shall be defined in

'Letters Patent ;" And whereas a Resolution of the Municipal Council ot the City of Victoria was passed by a two-thirds majority of the same, affirming the expediency of extending the limits of such

Corporation : And whereas the Lieutenant-Governor in Council under and by virtue of the powers and authorities conferred upon him in Council as aforesaid, and of all other powers and authorities him, as aforesaid, in that behalf enabling, bath extended the limits of such Corporation as hereinafter mentioned

NOW KNOW YE, that by these presents, We do hereby order and proclaim that,—All that piece of land bounded as follows: commencing at the present Municipal boundary of the City of Victoria, at a point on the sea shore, being the south-eastern extremity of Montreal Street; thence following the general line of the shore, to a stone monument marked C. B., situated near the south-eastern extremity of a new street, which is a con-tinuance of Menzies Street, said monument being a distance of forty chains in a straight line from the present Municipal boundary at the intersection of Menzies Street with a street formerly called St. James' Street; thence is a straight line to a stone manu-ment marked C. B., situated at the Southern intersection of Moss Street and Jame Street intersection of Moss Street and Jane Breet, being also the north-ea-t corner of Lot number being also the north-east corner of Lot number thirtysix on the Fairfield Estate, said more ment being distant thirty-eight and a half chains, or thereabout, in a straight line from the present Municipal boundary at the south-east corner of Cook and Pakington Streets; thence in a straight line to a stone more men marked C. B., situated at the south side of Martha Street, being ninety-one links west-ward of the north-east corner of Lot number sixty-four of the Fairfield Estate, said monument being forty chains distant from the present Municipal boundary, measured at a right angle from the east side of Cook Street; thence in a straight line to a stone monument maked C. B., situated on the south side of Cadboro Bay Road, and one hundred links west of Charles Street, said monument being forty chains distant from the present Municipal boundary, measured at right angles from the east side of the street bounding ta sixty-seven, fifty-two, fifty-one, this six, thirty-five, twenty-three, and twenty-two, Spring Ridge; thence in a straight line to a stone monument marked C. B., situated on the east side of Cedar Hill Road, said monument being forty chains distant in a straight tine from the present Municipal boundary, at the south-western corner of Lot sixty eight, Spring Ridge; thence is a straight line to a stone monument marked C. B., situated on the west side of Saanich Road, at its intersection with the southern bound ary of section five of the Victoria District. trict, said monument being thirty-nine chains, sixty links, from the present Municipal boundary, measured at a right angle from the north side of Pembroke Street; thence in a straight line along the said south-District to a stone monument marked C. B., situated on the East side of a stream which enters the Victoria Arm, said monument being less than forty chains distant from the present Municipal boundary at Rock Bay; thence following the shore line (including all thence following the shore line (including all wharves, jetties and buildings abutting on the said shore line and also including the Rock Bay and James Bay bridges,) to the place of commencement, as the same is more particularly described on the Map marked A., compiled in the Land Office, Victoria, and dated the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy three, and the inhabitants thereof, shall from and after the date hereof be incorporated and be and form the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as if the same bad been originally included within the same had been originally included within the limits of the said Corporation treated under "The Municipality Act, 1872" by Let-ters Patent, bearing date the 25th day of January, 1873; and the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall have all the powers and author-ities over the said extended limits and be

subject to all the provisions contained in "The Municipality Act, 1872," and "The Municipality Amendment Act, 1873." Provided always, that nothing berein contained shall be construed to include any portion of that piece of Land known as Beacon Hill Park; and every part thereof is hereby expressely excepted from the opera-tion of these Letters Patent; and the said Corporation of the City of Victoria shall no excercise any power or authority over the

same or any part thereof. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have exused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the Province of British Columbia to be hereunto smixed: Wir-xxss, the Honorable Joseph W. Tavres, Lieutenant-Governor of the said Province of British Columbia, in the City of Victoria, in the said Province, this 9th day of May, A. D. One thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and in in the thirty;

sixth year of Our Reign. By Command. JOHN ASH. Provincial Secretary.

PRIVATE SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

May 3rd, 1873. IS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNMENT has been pleased to place the following Gentlemen on the Commission of the Peace for the Province of British Columbia.

WILLIAM FISHER, of Esquimalt, Esquire, JAMES McILMOYLE, of Sasnich, Esquire," ROBERT WEIR, of Metchosin, Esquire. WILLIAM FISHER, of Metchosin, Esquire. JOHN SAUL, of Lillooet, Esquire.

JOHN MUIB, the elder, of Sooke, Esquire. By Command. ARTHUR J. G. PINDER,

Private Secretary.

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Thursday, May 15, 1873. An Immigrant Agent Wanted. The presence in our midst of a large number of persons who have recently arrived sincerely believed it was as good as Canada's here from Eastern Canada and elsewhere with a view to settling in the country, provided they can find homesteads whereon to settle or suitable employment whereby to earn a Westminster, A. D., 1865 (which I regard as westminster, A. D., 1865 (which I regard as westminster, A. D., 1865 (which I regard as westminster, A. D., 1865). comfortable livelihood, suggests the great our Indian Magna Charta) as to the rights necessity that exists for some person with whom to communicate officially for such information as they may stand in need of information as they may stand in need of. Strangers coming into a new country like this, however well disposed they may be to take up land and become permanent residents are easily discouraged and persuaded to their great mother the Queen, together with the manner in which the altered regulations one they can look to for information and ness and distrust, if not disaffection which it dvice. Notwithstanding what the Colonist has said to the contrary, immigrants have been kindly received by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and the subordinate officers of that Department, who have made application at the Lands and Works Office information concerning the public lands of the Province, where they are available for settlement, and the steps necessary to be taken for their acquisition. We have been sesured of this fact by immigrants themselves, who expressed surprise at certain misrepre-sentations contained in the columns of our orary the other day, to the effect that applicants for information at the Lands and Works Office could get neither the information they desired nor even the commo courtesy due to strangers visiting that department on business. One gentleman with whom we conversed on the subject, expressed the greatest satisfaction at the kindly treat ment he received at the hands of the Comssioner of Lands and Works, and at the par ticular pains he took to afford him all the information within his reach. We refer to this fact just to show how unfounded are the charges brought against this department of the Government by the Colonist, and this is but a specimen of the usual course of misrepresentation indulged in by our contemporary in reference to the general policy of the Government. But however desirous the local Administration may be to further the interests of strangers, who come here with a view to settlement, they cannot be expected so fully to meet the wants of immigrants i those matters to which we have referred, as would a person armed with authority and whose special duty it would be to make himself thoroughly acquainted with all those matters upon which immigrants desire informatters upon which immigrants desire infor-mation, and be prepared when called upon to give advice and instruction to those who d it. It should be the duty of a local immigrant agent to acquire correct and reliable information upon all matters relating to the public lands of the Province, where open for pre-emption, the nature and quality of the soil, whether open or wood land, the t method of getting to them, the legal method of acquiring them, and be prepared to supply them with any other data they might require in order to arrive at a correct knowledge of the country, and induce them to become permanent settlers. The office of the Immigrant Agent should also be a kind of general intelligence office, where those in want of employment could make their wants known, and those in need of hired help would know where to apply for it. In every one of 10 bales Butcher's Paper, the sister Provinces agencies of this kind are 10 bales Grocer's Paper, in operation, and they exert a most salutary influence in the opening up and settlement of the country. That British Columbia has suffered serious loss in not having an agency of this description in Victoria, must be patent to every one who has been a resident so bbls Circle A Crushed Sugar, of this city for any considerable length of time. How many hundreds, we might say thousands, of strangers have been landed in our city, in search of homes and employment, who, because there was no one ose special duty it was to look after them and supply them with necessary information 30 half bbls 15 gallons each, concerning the public lands of the country 25 bbls 30 gallons each, ment and a helping band, have drifted out of he country again and become settlers in the djacent States, we have no exact means now of ascertaining, but those who have lived here the last eight or ten years know that the number has been very great indeed. We W--880 Mats believe it is the intention of the Dominion Government to establish a local Immigration Agency here shortly, and they cannot do so a single day too soqu. We have reason to believe that there are parties in this city now who have an interest in seeking to prejudice the minds of strangers coming to this country against remaining here, and in holding out inducements to them to cross over to the other side of the Straits. We are assured that quite a number have recently done so, and will possibly never return again. Now, this would not be very likely to happen if there were an Immigrants could 5 cases Cheshire Cheese, 5 cases Prussian Bluing, obtain suitable advice and encouragement, and be put in the way of getting homes for themselves or employment from others who require hired help either as farm laborers or in other occupations. in other occupations. Our American neigh-bers are ever on the alert to obtain popula-tion, and the great exceedable 15 doz asst Demijohns, tion, and the great success they have achieved by their admirable immigration policy, shows what can be done by proper organization and persistent effort. It is time we took a leaf out of their book in this respect, and inasmuch as settlers in British Columbia will find as good land, as gental a climate, greater protection both to life and property, a good market for all the produce they can raise, the highest rate of wages for all kinds of labor, and a merely nominal rate of taxation to pay compared with what one of taxation to pay compared with what our neighbors have to endure, we see 'no reason why, with an Immigrant Agency established in Victoria, we should not in a very short

## Indian Policy.

time have a large increase to our permanent

EDITOR STANDARD :- I send you a few thoughts of my own in reference to the Infor what they are worth. In the matter of the Dominion grant to New Westminster for distribution amongst the Indians assembled there on the Queen's Birthday—it is its partiality which is most at fault, as I conceive, and not on account of enticing Indians from their garden operations, fishing, &c., to give themselves up to holiday sports in company with their white neighbors out of loyalty to her who regards the meanest of her subjects with as much concern as the highest. Considering the object which brings them together I would not with the cruel tyrant of old too ready to ask of their entertainers, minster whilst ours here and elsewhere are

left to 'picnic' themselves?" At the beginning of the year I had entertained a hope that our efficient and popular Dominion Indian Agent might bave been able to arrange a meeting of all the more civilized tribes on this day at their respective ribal centres, when a clear statement previously prepared, concerning their present relative positions towards the Provincial and Dominion Governments might have been read Fast Freight apply at the office, Yates Street. to them together with a summary of all the laws and regulations which they are required to observe and conform to up to present date, &c. I trust, however, that this most needed and desirable business may be undertaken by the 1st of July—when also it is to be heard any leditory when also it. is to be hoped our Indians may be able to learn what assistance they may really expect to receive under the new order of things.

I observe you indirectly reproach the Do-Monday, the 28th June, Coronation Day.

CORONALIUM

A TA MEETING of the Race Comm<sup>3</sup>t.

toe, held on Saturday, it was decided to postpone the Horse Races announced for the 24th proxime until Monday, the 28th June, Coronation Day.

nion Executive for their apparent tardiness in extending to our Indians all the attributes of their own long tried and unequaled native administrative policy—but it must never be forgotten how, thanks to our delegates, we only bound Canada to carry out as liberal a policy towards the Indians as had hitherto been pursued. Possibly the said delegates Indian was in no way represented. But the consequence of such violation of provisions guaranteed to the Indians in the name of their great mother the Queen, together with ness and distrust, if not disaffection which it will take some time of improved treatment to efface, while I question whether any missionary in this Province can be found who does not believe that the Indian has right and justice on his side. In conclusion let me utter a strong protest against any attempt to dig up our tribal settlements by the roots to transplant them on new reserves. Les them alone, and give them and us a helping hand and fair play; this is all they ask or want.

New Advertisements.

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At Salesroom, Wharf Street

AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.

Teas! Teas!

401 Chests Oolong Pouschon Tea in Papers Golden Gate Brand. 621 Chests finest Oolong Pouchong breakfast Tea.

Wrapping Paper.

10 bales Butcher's Paper,

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0 crates Peoria Starch. 11 crates Silver Gloss, 6 lbs pkgs, 16 cases Durey's Corn,

### Sundries.

26 Cases Cheshire Cheese, 10 Nests Blue Tubs, 8 in nest,

9 nests Flour Pails. Etc.,

my14 J. P.Davies & Co, Auctioneers



BARNARD'S EXPRESS LINE STAGES

Carrying the Mails.

Passengers leave Victoria by Steamer of old too ready to ask of their entertainers, "What do ye letting the people from their works?" but at the same time might, I think, very fairly enquire, "Why all the loaves and fishes on the Queen's Birthday to the Creek on Thursdays to catch the steamer their acetain radius of New West-Enterprise for Quesnelle, arriving at Barkerville on Saturdays.

These Stages making rapid time, are driven by careful competent and long experienced Drivers and perform the driving by day light thus affording plenty of time for rest and

N. B.—Incompetent Drivers are never em-For particulars of Passage and for Rates of

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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EX PRINCE ALFRED

# The Balance of their Spring Stock.

Turner, Beeton & Tunstall.

I hereby cartify that the above statement transfers had been made is correct.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C. Notice. REGATTA MEETING WILL BE held at the Boomerang Inn on Thursday, to-norrow evening, at 8 eclock, to settle prizes, &c. mylt Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements from 28 Pebruary, 1872

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GENERAL REPAIRS DONE. myl4 Power of Attorney. R. P. MURPHY, late of the Adelphi Saloon, during his absence from this city has left his Power of Attorney with Frank Campbell of the Adelphi Corner.

Notice.

STRAYED INTO MY PREMISES ON the 11th May, a roan Mare with white face. The owner can have her by paying expenses. If not claimed within a week from date she will be sold, WILLIAM HILLIER, Victoria, May 11th, 1873.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE undersigned will please call and settle their accounts before the 12th June, or they will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection; and persons having claims against him are requested to present them at once to a certain lot of Furniture and Sundries left with him by a man of the name of James Waters and Lottere Sebastian. If not claimed within one month from date, the same will be sold at public auction to pay the charges.

12th May, 1873. For Sale.

Choice ats. Bran, and Timothy Hay.

R. BRODRICK & CO.

Wanted A QUALIFIED TEACHER FOR YALE istrict School.
Apply by letter to
WM. R. MACDONALD,
Chairman of Local Board.
myl2 Yale, 9th May, 1873.

Wanted. RESPECTABLE MIDDLEAGED WO.

PIONEER PICNIC

THE PICNIC OF THE PIONEER SO-

MEDINA'S GROVE. On Saturday, June 21, 1873.

WILLIAMS' STAGES

ILL COMMENCE TO-DAY MAKING Regular Trips between Victoria and Esquimalt and Return; and Victoria and Saanich and return as fol-

Carrying Mails & Passengers WILL LEAVE VICTORIA FOR ESQUIMALT-day

8 A.M., 11 A. M., and 4 P. M. WILL LEAVE ESQUIMALT FOR VICTORIA-Daily at 9:30 A. M., 2 P. M., and 5 P. M.

WI L LEAVE VICTORIA FOR SAANICH EVERY WEDNESDAY at 10 A. H.

RETURN-Will Leave SAANICH : FOR VICTORIA Same Day at 4 P. M.

J.W. WILLIAMS, - Proprietor

SELLING OFF

To Close Business MY ENTIRE STOCK OF

LADIES'. GENTS', MISSES' AND BOOTS, SHOES & GAITERS, LEATHERS.

Shoe-findings, Lasts, Boot-trees, Shee Brushes, Blackings, &c.

Counters, Drawers, Trunks, Boxes, Cartoons. Benches, &c. The whole of which will be Sold very Cheap for Cash. No goods to leave the store until paid for-

JESSE COWPER. Wo. 23 Wates Street, opposite Wells Fargo & Co. may6

PLUMMER & PAGDEN. AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS

COM MISSION ACENTS

Whart Street, Victoria. BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf street, opposite the foot Yates street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by procupiness and attention, they hope to receive a share of the public support. Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased or Cash.

Liberal Advances made on Consignments. Books kept or Audited, Balance Sheets made out, tatements Prepared and a general Accountants Business enfidentially transacted.

\$250 00 \$12 67 \$1,190 00 \$55 53 1,245 53 \$200 00 \$600 29 Office Furniture and effects. City Pound, Yates Street..... Bank British North America Interest on account to date...
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Drake and Jackson.....

James Kelly....

Victoria Fire Departmen

Moody, Dietz & Nelson. 25,427 98 \$5,113 83 I hereby certify that the above statement shewing amount of Assets and Liabilities after the closing entrind transfers had been made is correct.

PHILIP CADELL Auditer. my9

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Estimate Statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C., as at February 27, 1873.

STREET.

Next to the Scotch House.

Brown & White beg to inform the public of Victoria, the Mainland and Puget Sound, that they will open the above named pre-

Saturday, May

with an entirely new and carefully selected stock of staple and fancy Dry Goods, Hosiery, Haberdashery, Trimmings, Laces, &c.,&c. The whole of which will be offered at the lowest possible Prices for

Ladies will find it to their advantage to call and inspect the stock before purchasing elsewhere OBSERVE THE ADDRESS.

BROWN & WHITE,

Fort Street

DENNY & SPENCER. VICTORIA HOUSE

# NEW GOODS ex Prince Alfred,

Consisting in part of:

Black Silks, Irish Poplins, Velvets, Laces, French Flowers, Ribbons, Sash Ribbons, Hats, Bonnets, Costumes, Novelties, silk and worsted Grenadines, white and colored Picques, and a great variety of Dress Goods including a special line of black and colored Alpacas; Mourning Goods, viz: Bombazine, Barathea, Crape Cloth, Persian Cloth, Alpaca Royal, Cashmeres, Poplins, &c.

To effect a clearance the proprietors beg to To effect a clearance the property announce that they will sell their large and beautiful stock of colored Silks and Moires

than 35 feet in length, with or walls as waln.

6th Race—Single scullers race.
7th Race—Blue Jackets' race, in 4 oared gigs.
8th Race—Duble scullers race.
9th—Swimming match, distance 200 yards. And Indian canour race.
The above races are open to all comers.
Two boats of a class to start in each race.
Prize List and further particulars will be published.

NOTICE

MESSRS. WILLIAM BAINES AND Sidney John Pitts have entered into copartnership as Commission Merchants, and will carry on under the name of Baines & Pitts, the business formerly conducted J. ROLAND HETT.

Shoe Manuf'g Co. (Limited.) NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO SHAREholders that according to a resolution of the Board of Directors of the above Company, a first call of Ten per cent is made payable on the 5th June next, at the Bank of British Columbia.

Shareholders are requested to pay the deposit of 10 per cent. at the above Bank on the 6th last.

VICTORIA, V. I., May 3, 1873. my5 New Advertisements.

H. LEWIN.

HAVANA CIGARS & TOBACCO.

No. 47 YATES STREET, HAS JUST RECEIVED EX PRINCE MEERCHAUM AND OTHER PIPES.

Feather Dusters, Looking Glasses. YANKEE NOTIONS.

To Arrive per Prince Alfred. 50,000 BEST HAVANA CIGARS, H. LEWIN, Tates Street.

Wm. DALBY & CO.

HAVE RECEIVED DIRECT PROS Junior Mowers, Wood's Patent. Sprague Mowers. Gang Ploughs,

Hill's Patent Ploughs, 5 & 7 Tooth Cultivators, 45 00 10 Horse-power Threshing Machines

Buggy . Carriage, Team, Dray and Express HARNESS

Buggies & Carriages by next steamer. AGENTS-for the Singer bewing Machine Singer and Howe Cloth and Leather

W. DALBY & CO., St. Nicholas Building, Government St. VICTORIA, B.C.

GOOD NEWSI



MONEY BY PURCHASING YOUR HOUSE FUR-

MANSELL'S CHEAP STORE

(Late Mansell & Holroyd's)

Dinner Plates 50 cts. per Dozen. Also—One English Mangle and Wringer, and a large

Geo. Mansell. YATES STREET.



Dissolution of Partnership

WARD HOLROYD DEGS TO THANK HIS PRIENDS AND the public generally, who have so liberally satro-nized the late firm of Manuschi & Holwoyd, during the last six years, and in entering upon business on his own behalf begs to intimate that he will spare no pales to please his customers, and will sell goods at a fair valuation. His truste, by strict attention to business, to merit a share of their patronage and support.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF House-Furnishing Goods FURNITURE, Crockery and Glassware. gar-All kinds of Furniture Repaired in the best man-apis-3m

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY!

Under the Patronage of His Excellency Liestenant-Governor Trutch, Sir James Dong-las, and the Senior Naval Officer and Officera of H. M. Fleet.

COMMITTEE:

G. JAY, Hon. Sec. Notice. DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE Province Messys, Norris & Wylly, jointly and soverally, hold my Power of Attorney, P. H., CLARKE.

Victoria, B. C., 27th March, 1873.

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FROM THE CLARKE.

#### The Daily Standard

Thursday, May 15, 1873.

BIRTH. on the 9th inst., at Trenant Park, South Arm

MARRIED.

#### Dishonest Journalism.

The Colonist knows full well that the presant Government has had nothing to do one way or the other, either with the building of the Esquimalt road bridges, or with the Nanalmo bridge ; yet in its usual dishonest way. is charges the rain of the latter, and the noncompletion of the contract of the former upon the DeCosmos administration. We presume the effort is made only as a left-handed compliment to the McCreight Government, or perhaps the fermer Surveyor General, Mr. Pearse; or most probably there is a personal gradge against Mr. Finney, of Nanaimo, or Hayward and Jenkinson the contractors of the Victoria Arm bridges, who were praised most warmly last year in several sensational items for the successful completion of a very substantial public work. The "organ charges the STANDARD with one-sided jour-nalism. Well! with the Cariboo Sentine!, fire purposes in future, was read. The prices fia ration. two extracts of which we gave yesterday, in the water company propose to charge are Montragal, May 13.—The steamer Renand seply to the old lady over the way, we don't \$15 for each engine house, and 45c. for every struck on a rock in Lachine Rapids last even-claim to be infallible, but we claim to have, 100 gallons for the cisterns' use, or an equi-ing; there were on board one bundred and or to take some side or the other, and con- valent of \$150 per month. elstently to stay by that side. The STAND-And never possessed anything of the "cham- said they had taken the trouble to bunt up day, and another thing the next; or in other words when it believes itself right, it will ever maintain that right, personal considerations, or "considerations" of any other sort not influencing it one bit. It was the newspaper of the McCreight Government of the whole. when that government was right, and its honesty of purpose was acknowledged by that government; moreover, the STANDARD, strange as it would seem, got the support of that government too. This journal may have had a small share in getting into office the present administration; it supports that administration in everything that is right and proper, and its proprietors are grateful for On motion, this letter was also laid upon the patronage bestowed upon them. proper, and its proprietors are grateful for the patronage bestowed upon them, and not only by the government, but by the public at large. But we left our subject. We are told by the Colonist,—but then it is only the Colonist,—that we refused insertion of a communication from Lan ley, because it reflected upon the Government. We did withhold insertion, and possibly, under certain circumstances, would do so again. But what are ces, would do so again. But what are the facts? In the first place, there was noththe facts? In the first place, there was nothing condemnatory of the Government, at the Langley meeting, for were it intended to obsin increased appropriations for reads, etc., surely it would be a strange way in which to attain the object sought. This alone is sufficient proof. In the second place the Colonist of a communication intended for "equal insertion in both papers," as the Secretary of the meeting so instructed. This communication was received by the Colonist on Saturday afternoon, by the Enterprise, and in time day afternoon, by the Enterprise, and in time ment, reported that the sum of \$200 had been for next day's issue; the same was held over paid for printing the Assessment Roll 1868. upon Sunday, and not until Monday evening, at five o'clock, was it sent to this office, thus for pecuniary aid was again brought up for not leaving sufficient time for publication, consideration and was on motion ordered to considering a large mail arrived by the North Pacific shortly before. As we said in a for-

#### Lower Fraser.

given in a paragraph in Monday's paper.

The New Westminster Town Council is The New Westminster Towa Council is given control of the water frontage of the municipality. The city limits are about to be extended in accordance with the Act of last session. Several by-laws are being passed, and altogether the new Council seems to be working very harmoniously.

The clerk was ordered to netify the property owners on the west side of Store street, from Messrs. Janion, Rhodes & Co.'s warehouse to Messrs Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s building, to grade and lay a 10 test sidewalk. The Council then went into Committee of working very harmoniously.

Were drowned from the Hope; the Americus sage to emigrants.

Mr. Casey spoke in support of the motion. He believed it was only necessary to let the nations of the old world know what we possession. Several by-laws are being passed, building, to grade and lay a 10 test sidewalk. The Council then went into Committee of working very harmoniously.

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Rev. Mr. Russ of New Westminster arrived

in Canada on Monday last.

Messrs. Rogers and C. M. Chambers of Burrard Inlet, Esqs., were sworn in Justices of the Peace before Chief Justice Begbie, at New Westminster, on the 13th. The Court would sit yesterday for general business.

The South Arm settlers want a road to

The Herald of yesterday has the following o'clock, from Fort Simpson and way ports on anent settlement :- "Several gentlemen from the north coast, for the fellowing memoranevening by the Enterprise, to look for land on which to settle. As the residents of the touintry know, comparatively little informa-tion is to be obtained at the Land Office, the

DOUGLAS CHURCH TO BE REMOVED TO THE touched at Fort Simpson, Woodcock's, Skiddigate coal mine, Bella Bella, Fort Rupert, Alert Bay, Comox, and Departure Bay.

'Mr. Hunt, the Hudson Bay Ce,'s agent en the 10th, has the following: His Lordship the Bishop of Columbia, arrived here on
the 7th inst., and visited both these settlements on the 8th inst., accompanied by the
Rev. D. Holmes, of Yale; Thos. Shannon and
J. McOutcheon. Face. Were also of the recent shorts are shipfed and provided and prov Mec. D. Holmes, of Yale; Thos. Shannon and J. McCotcheon, Esqs., were also of the party. His Lordship preached in the evening at the Chiliwhack schoolhouse. At the close of the Divine Service, a meeting was convened, at which a Church committee of five and two Church Wardens, Messrs. J. McCutcheon and Wm. Shannon were appointed. His Lordship when, as they supposed, they were not making any resistance.

much excitement among the Indians.

"Two of the Fort Rupert chiefs came on board immediately on the arrival of the Governor of Paris, has prohibited the sale of the Journal d'Etat.

WEST INDIES.

Havana, May 13.—The collector for the Cienfugos railroad, while on his way to has been pleased to give to this settlement, making any resistance. the church at Douglas, and steps are being taken for its removal to a site chosen on Mr. off Queen Charlotte Island—the Kate." J. Kipp's farm.

FROM CHILIWHACK, -- A correspondent writing on 10th May, says :- "General dissatisfaction seems to prevail here, amongst the Indians, respecting their land. It is rumored that parties have been using secret influence to have them removed to a large reservation. The Rev. Father Durie has been here on the 5th and 6th insts. arrengting matters amongst them. Five Chiefs have left here in company with his Reverence, for Victoria, with the object of acquainting the Superintendent of Indian affairs with their grievances.

OTTAWA PABLIAMENT .- The Guardian of yesterday has the following telegram from Ottawa of date 13th May: "Yesterday afternoon McKenzie introduced a resolution declaring it inexpedient that share holders in was filled with the largest assemblage of the Pacific Railway be ineligible as members of parliament. A lengthy debate on the cesolution ensued, which was ultimately negatived by 86 against 63. The members are getting home daily. Nathan left last night. The House will adjourn about 20th

INQUEST .- An inquest was held yesterday on the body of Frank Pressie, (not Baptiste) on Tuesday evening. The evidence of gaol bride and bridegroom were escorted to their physician, of the Superintendent, and of a carriage in waiting at the church door, and a prisoner in the city gaol, who died suddenly wrakey, was had to the effect that Pressie had on their departure the church bells gave forth an apoplectic fit day before death whilst a joyous peal. ever recovered. A verdict was returned of death from natural causes. If we remember ight, the deceased was a notorious Indian

FELL OVERBOARD .- Mr. T. Ennis fell overboard into the harbor, yesterday afternoon, at the H.B. Co.'s wharf. He received a duckiag only, and perhaps a cold.

#### City Council.

A meeting of the City Council was b in the chair, and the following Councillors-Gowen, Taylor, Hayward, Keast and Morton. The minutes of the last meeting were read

COMMUNICATIONS. A letter read from Mr. Alexander Munro seeking information as to the survey of lots 274 and 275, which was executed in the year 1871, was referred to a committee consisting of Messrs, Keast, Gowen and Morton, for in-

A long letter from Messrs. Barry, Lang, and Murray, bitterly complained of the action On motion the letter was filed.

PIRE DEPARTMENT. the action taken by the Spring Ridge Water

Councillor Gowen and Councillor Morton aracter; it is not one thing one certain papers and documents, and there the Drummond colliery this morning, repre-

The following accounts were passed to the

be laid over till the compilation of the aspessment roll when it would be known what mer issue, the substance of the meeting was money the Corporation would have at its disposal to contribute to this deserving in-

#### Arrival of the Steamer Otter from the Morth.

We are indebted to Mr. Smith, purser of the Hudson's Bay Co.'s steamer Otter, Captain Lewis, which arrived here last evening at 7 dum of the round trip :-

present Government not having been long enough in power to set matters right in that Landing, Metlakahtla, Fort Simpson, (where department, but there is plenty of land to be the steamer was beached) Massett, Queen bad, and we would advise new comers not to Charlotte Island, and arrived at Fort Wran
MADRID, May 13.—A Carlist conspiracy for Mr. Jones (Leeds) said that several valuebe discouraged by the lack of official infortil the 7th, waiting for the breaking up of the ice in the Stickeen river. On the way down

The body of a man named Downie, who was drowned last fall in the Skeena river, was picked up and buried by Joe Irving's

party recently.
Mr. McCullough, who returned to this city last winter, after exploring the gold mining sections on Peace river and its numerous tributaries, for the space of seven years, was unfortunately frozen to death some eight or nine miles up the Stickeen river.

At the time of the departure of the steame Otter, Captain William Moore was proceed ing to start up the same river, and would leave shortly. The Otter brings only a few passengers, amongst them are Mr. J.J. White, from Skeena, and Capt. McCullough and Mrs. Swanson, from Nanaimo. She also had on board a small quantity of coal from the Queen Charlotte mine.

WEDDING .- Last evening St. John's Church persons ever seen within its sacred walls who were present to witness the marriage of Mr. R. S. Byro, of this city, to Miss Wylde, daughter of Capt. Wylde of the Customs Department. The Rev. P. Jenns, Rector of the church, performed the happy and interesting event in the presence of the parents and rela-tives of the bride, together with a very large circle of the triends and well-wishers of young and happy couple. More than ordinary interest seemed manifested on this occa-

OKANAGAN .- A private letter from Okanagan reports a great gathering of Indians at the Mission there, on the 29th April, About 700 of the natives were present, Horseracing and other sports were indulged in, and the dusky turfites staked Ayou periese on their favorite steeds. The spring has been dry, and cattle are in good condition .- N. W. Hereld,

## By Glectric Telegraph

ast night. Present : His Worship the Mayor SPECIAL TO THE DAILY STANDARD.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

Mine. CANADA.

HALIPAX, May 13 .- An explosion occurred o-day in Drummond mine in Picton county. taken by the pound keeper in impounding cattle pasturing on the school reserve. The manager, assistant manager, and 40 men are in the pit. The slope is on fire and there authors of the letter likened the proceedings more "to the latitude of the lava beds of the Modoc Indians, than to the civilized region men. The greatest excitement prevails; of Victoria," and went on in a very acrimo- crowds of people for miles around came rushnious tone to allude to the want of good ing to the scene of disaster. Mothers, wives, sense which the Council had shown by in- sisters, children and friends crowded around fringing upon a privilege which had been the burning pit mourning pitifully over the enjoyed for years past. terrible fate of those below. Heart rending cries could be heard a great distance. Every effort has been made to rescue the men, but A communication from the Secretary of the Victoria Fire Department, with reference to the action taken by the Spring Bides Water The most strenuous exertions are being

made to rescue the men and subdue the confifty passengers who were landed safely.

The vessel is a total wreck. JALIFAX, May 14 .- The latest news from sents the fire still raging in the shafts and slopes. All hopes of rescuing the men have been abandoned. It is stated there were sixty men in the pit. Another heavy explosion occurred in the mine about two o'clock this morning. It is thought to be almost impossible that any of the men in the pit can be plosion. The fire caught from a flask of gunflames. One report says Mr. Dunn and thirty men went down to assist putting out the fire, about twenty minutes before the explosion occurred, at which time it is supposed that all the men were near the flames, and that many if not all were killed at once by the

#### EASTERN STATES.

NEW ORLEANS, May 13 .- Quiet now reigns in St. Martinsville; Col. Doblane having ac complished his aim by showing to the world the mability of Kellegg to sustain his power without the aid of United States troops. NEW YORK, May 13 .- The Supreme Court of the general term to-day granted a writ of

error in the case of Stakes upon a stipulation by the defence to take the case at once to the Court of Appeals now in session. Five of the Supreme Court Judges and the Judge of the Court of Appeal refused a stay of the proceedings in the case of Nixon to be

hanged on Friday.

Gov. Dix also declined to interfere on the Gov. Dix also declined to interfere on the ground that the Judges have refused; also en the ground that the murder of Pheiffer and distributed throughout France, and wasicruel, unprovoked, persicously unjust, and does not admit of any paliative feature. and does not admit of any palistive feature.

Nixen's counsel will go to the remainder of Northwest. We want people from all counthe 32 Supreme Court Judges, or such of them as he can reach before the sention and build up a great power on the tence is carried into execution. tence is carried into execution.

NEW YORK, May 13 .- The steamer Ameriassist it, but first must be acquainted with the state of their finances. Hart Island, entting her in two. Four men were drowned from the Hope; the Americus

continues to sing songs.

### EUROPE.

Londen, May 14 -A dispatch from Calcutta yesterday says : — the Bussian ex-peditionary force has occupied Darghery, a village near Khiva. The same dispatch re ports that Abdot Rheamons has been sum-

noned to St. Petersburg. Beauts, May 13.—The Bourses of the principal cities of Germany are extremely de-"Left Victoria on the 21st April, with 73 relief, will introduce a measure into the Diet bad for disposal. First, Agriculture, then passengers, for the Skeens river. Called on for applying Prussia's share of the war continued the way up at Nanaimo, Alert Bay, Fort Rutribution to the purchase of bills and public tracts of land to railway or other companies,

the overthrow of the Republic has been distors have been arrested.

Rome, May 13 .- The Pope is very feeble

cinthe has given birth to a boy.

Pans, May 13.—Gen. L'Admirault, military unsettled.

Cienfugos railroad, while on his way to make a deposit in the bank, was robbed of twenty thousand dollars by a thief who enatched the package containing the money from his hands and escaped. The insurgents attacked a train on the railroad, and killed the commander of Molino's forces, two captains and a number

of soldiers. A STRANGE fatality seems to have followed the steamer G. S. Wright in her unhappy of the hour for this Parliament was to abantrip. Mr. McCullough, who took passage up elsewhere, frozen to death a few miles up the

Stickeen in the month of February last. FROM THE FRASER.—The following persons among others, together with a local mail, arrived in port yesterday from New Westminster by the Enterprise : Messrs. R. Smith, M.P.P., E. Brown, R. Maynard, T. Walch, J. Lockbart, C. D. Nicholls, J. Martin, A. Erb, W. Loye, Lang, and Wm. Bruce.

Police Count.-Mary, a Stickeen clootchman, charged with smashing a window valued at \$3 and upwards, was ordered to pay the amount of damage done, and was fined bs., or in defalt six hours impresonment for

CRICKET .- A general meeting of the Cricket Tuesday, practice commencing at 5 p. m. Tus Chiliwhack settlers are "disgusted,"

of the Municipality just formed, and a remonstrance is being prepared to be handed the Government.

lighthouse at Cape Beale,

#### Dominion Parliament.

GRAPHICAL AND GROLOGICAL EXPLORATIONS.

House or Commons, April 23rd. Mr. Charlton moved that the House go into Committee of the Whole to consider a resolutions of their new territories and publish to for settlement. The result was that the emigration to the United States was very great. He recommended the adoption of a similar policy in this country. He condemned the Government policy with regard to the public lands in the north West, contending that they should be thrown open for settlement to

all who desired to go there. Dr. Grant spoke of the immense mineral recourses of the Dominion, and urged upon the Government the necessity of making thorough geological explorations of the country from the Atlantic to the Pacific. It was well known that British Columbia was exceedingly rich in minerals. The Northwest contained immense deposits of coal, Nova Scotia had great fields of iron and coal within its borders. Here in the Ottawa Valley, no less an individual than Prof. Chapman had expressed the over certain pecuniary embarrassment resulquality. The mines in the vicinity of the capital were equal to the very best in England. It was high time that something should be done in a practical manner to give some practical results. Canada poss- a great eruption of the volcanic Skaptar Yo- essed the mineral wealth and the enterprise kull, in Iceland, which took place on the 9th Heifers, Steers and ing; there were on board one bundred and give some practical results. Canada possnecessary for making here a great and pros-

Hon. Mr. Smith (Selkirk) spoke of the im- from parts of the island. finest coal, easily accessible by water. The Northwest Territories offered superior attrac-States of the Republic almost uninhabitable. Territories would give it an impetus which would make it the field for settlement not only for the emigrating millions of Europe, but also for many of the inhabitants of the neighboring States. It the United States gave free grant lands,

boring States, Mr. Mercier supported the motion. The policy of our Government had too long been o spend money in employing emigrant agents in foreign countries instead of expending more in exploring our own land and publish-ing to the world the immense resources it contains. He expressed regret that so many young French Canadians emigrated to the United States every year, and speke of the importance of adapting means to persuade them to seturn to their native land. The people of Quebec Province were anxious to see their race increase in numbers in the Do-Mr. Ross (Victoria, N. S.) was of that the geological staff should be increased end a large force sent down to the Island of Cape Breton to explore its coal fields. (Applause.) He suggested that the right way to promote immigration was to offer free pas-

man who advertised that succeeded, and the excellent principle should be adopted by the Government. Advertise our country to the world and we would soon secure a large influx of immigration. (Applause.)
Mr. Trow said, while the Ottawa Valley

was undoubtedly rich in iron, there was no coal nearer than Pennsylvania and the Maritime Provinces. In Nova Scotia and other parts of the Dominion, both of these valuable minerals were found. However, he would pressed in consequence of the panic in prefer a geographical exploration in order PANDORA ST. PROPERTY ernment would be to dispose of the public domain in small lots only to actual settlers. Mr. Jones (Leeds) said that several valuable reports of the North West were already covered in this city. Three of the conspira- published and there was no necessity for any more of them. He attributed the prosperity of the Uni'ed States to its protective policy. yesterday he had a fainting fit which lasted He commended the Government for having an hour. To-day his condition is unchanged, granted large tracts in the North West to the He commended the Government for having

Mr. E. B. Wood doubted the wisdom of granting large tracts of land to private rings grates, brick chimneys and garden. and companies whose interest it was to sell would be a better policy to construct railroads at the expense of the country and advertise the fact to the world. The population of our North West had increased comparatively little since it was taken into Confederation, and would not be likely to grow rapidly when it was known that the Pacific tories. Where then would be the free home steads that had been spoken of by the hon. member for Selkirk? He believed the duty don the mad scheme of a mad Government to Stickeen per last trip, was, after all his world to our country, and, after settling our trials in the Rockies, on Peace River, and Northwest, then to build a railroad through it. He disapproved of building the Pacific Railroad through the medium of a company which had no solid basis. The proper plan would have been to build it by a commission as the Intercolonial was being constrcted, for he was bound to admit that that great work was being carried out more economically than any public work that had ever been undertaken in this country. (Cheers ) At six o'clock the House rese.

### English Mail.

English papers to the 19th inst. William Alexander Roberts, recently tockbroker in Threadneedle street, London underwent a preliminary examination at the M. asion House on Saturday, in respect to the charge of forging and uttering a cheque for £11,500, upon the Consolidated Bank. According to the opening statement, the defea-Club was held at the Garrick's Head Inn, dant had received from various members of ly paid in the cheque for the amount named the charge, but this had been discovered to as a local paper has it, with the boundaries be a forgery. On the securities, however, the prisoner obtained an advance of £10,000 Province. rom Messrs Merton, Hart & Co., and then

A young horsebreaker at Brighton made NAVAL,—It is reported that H.M.S. Tenedos with so horrible tormenting a mare, by pouring will proceed to Barclay Seund next week on ing vitriol into one of the beast's ears, that business connected with the erection of the she had to be killed. The sentence pronounced

bard labour; added to which punishment, the youth had one of his eyes painfully injured through the breaking of the bottle, caused by the kicking and plunging of the mare under

tne operation. A strennous opponent of vaccination aption on the subject of a geographical exploration and geological survey of the fertile belt
of the North West Territory. He referred to fined a year ago for refusing to allow his the system pursued in the neighboring Republic, which was to make thorough exploramoned, and he repeated his declaration that he would rather go to prison rather than his Forty Men Enveloped in Flames. the world the advantages which they offered child undergo the operation. He had lost three children through vaccination, and he was determined this child should live. Moreover he claimed the "Divine power of prophecy." He had predicted the recovery of the Prince of Wales when told that he could not live, and he now predicted that his child would not have the smallpox. Eventully Mr. Flowers adjoined the case. Captain Agnew, of the 16th Lancers, had

> made in connection with this sad affair. David Stroyan, a banker, charged at the Dumfries Assizes with breach of trust, embezzlement, and theft, pleaded guilty to acts which were palliated by his counsel as having been committed with a purpose to tide opinion that we have iron of the very finest ting from undue speculation. Lord Cowan passed a sentence of six years' penal servi- Cows and Calves tude. The gross amount of the prisoner' defalcations was upward sof £21.000.

Advices had been received at Lerwick of of January and lasted four days, presenting a magnificent spectacle, which was visible

mense recources of the Northwest country. In | An evidence of the spirit in which the addition to its fertile lands and salubrious Shah's visit to Europe was regarded by himclimate, it possessed great fields of the very self and his people was afforded at the fes tivities just held at Deberan to celebrate his Majesty's birthday. On this occasion he obtions to emigrants. The soil and climate served that his object was to draw closer the were infinitely better than those of Minnesota relations with European powers, to improve relations with European powers, to improve living. Four or five got out before the ex- Dacotah, Nebraska and other neighboring the commercial intercourse with the west. plosion. The fire caught from a flask of gun-powder, and the men remained to put out the terrible storms which rendered the Northwest calculated to develope the resources of the calculated to develope the resources of the country. Thanks to the telegraph, he observed, he should be able to remain con

that the pending dispute must first be determined by the Sultan as arbitrator, and that being done, the Suez Company will be glad to have a determination, once for all, of some uniform system by which the tonnage of ships passing through the canal shall be measured

and distributed throughout France, and Switzerland that a tide of emigration might James Bay, Pandora St. Cattle Sale Yard, Fort St.,

Government Street PROPER TY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO Have been instructed to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION

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AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

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Rock Light House, Plans and Specifications can be seen at the effice of the underigned where tendens will be received up to soon of the lith prox. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Notice. iving Tenders for the above is extendureday 15th inst.

JAMES COOPER, Agent. VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c.

To all whom these presents shall come-GREETING. A PROCLAMATION.

GEO. A. WALKEN, WHEREAS under and Attorney-General. Why virtue of "The Breeding Stock Act. 1872," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered to divide the Province into Districts for the pur poses of the said Act:

And whereas it is provided that the said Act shall not apply to any District unless upon an application being made to the Lieu-tenant-Governor in Council as therein men-And whereas such application has been made by the Settlers of Comox District that the

same may be subject to the provisions under said Act. NOW KNOW YE that under and by virtue of the authority contained in "The Breeding Stock Act, 1872," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council directs that Comox District shall be a District for the purpose of the said Act; and the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares that the said District shall be subject to the provisions of the said Act curing each and very month of the year commencing on the

unto affixed; WITNESS, the Honorable Joseph William Trutch, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in the City of Victoria, this Eighteenth day of April, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and in the thirty-By Command.

JOHN ASH, Provincial Secretary.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 25th April, 1873. HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be District Registrars under e Births, Deaths, and Marriages Act

District No. 3—H. V. Edmonds, Esq.

" 4—W. Teague, Esq.
" 6—A. W. Smith, Esq.
" 7—J. Boston, Esq.
" 9—C. Booth, Esq.

By Command. JOHN ASH, Provincial Secretary.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

CEALED TENDERS endorsed "Como Roads" will be received by the under signed up to moon of Monday the 26th of May 1873, for repairing the following Roads: Section A-From Steamboat Landing to Section B-From Mission Junction to Go

Section C-From Gordon's to Beaching Section D-From Green's Slough to Brown's. Section E-From Wilson's Junction to Thomas's.

Section F-From Rodello's Junction to Point Holmes. Specifications can be seen at Mr. Drabble's Comox, and at this office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily

accepted ... With each tender must be enclosed the nomes of two persons willing to give security for the due completion of the contract to the mount of one-half the contract price.

ROBERT BEAVEN,

Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Office, Victoria, 1st May, 1873.

## Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

FIVE ACRE SUBURBAN LOT No. XV. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in

pursuance of the provisions of "The Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," I shall issue a daplicate Certificate of Title (in lieu of the original which has been lost or destroyed) to "all that portion of Five acre tract
"No. XV., known as suburban lot 15 on the
"Town plot of Victoria, Vancouver Island,
"being bounded and described as follows:— "Commencing at a point on the Southerly
"line of Cormorant Street, distant 120 feet
"from the South Easterly corner of Cormor"ant and Vancouver Streets. Easterly;
"thence running Eastwardly 120 feet on "Cormorant Street; thence at right "angles running Southwardly 180 feet "thence at right angles Westwardly 120 feet; thence at right angles Northwardly 180 "feet to the place of beginning," in the name of FORTUNE RICHARD, unless cause be shown to the contrary within two months

from the date hereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,

Land Registry Office.

15th March, 1873.

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Land Registry Ordinance, 1870. SECTION LXXIV., VICTORIA DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of the provisions of "The Loans Negotiated, Settlements Effected, Accounts Audited.

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," I shall counts Audited.

RENTS & DEBTS COLLECTED duplicate Certificate of Title (in lieu of the original which has been lost or destroyed) to that piece of land conveyed by Joseph Despard Pemberton to John Copland, by Deed dated the 15th day of August, 1863, and therein described as follows:—"All that "piece or parcel of land, being portion of "Section marked LXXIV. in the District of Section marked LXXIV. in the District of "Independent of the Street in continuation of "Fort Street, and an intended Boad; thence "Innning Easterly along Fort street to a point trunning Easterly along Fort street trunning Easterly a

"where the Western line of said John Cop-"land's present land strikes Fort Street; "thence along such Western line to the South "west corner thereof; thence at right angles "Westerly to the said intended Road; thence "North-West along the said Road to the point of commencement," unless cause be shown to the contrary within three months from the date hereof.

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APPOINTMENTS. PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, s Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Returning Officers for the several Electoral Districts of the Province, under and to carry out the provisions of 'The Members' Indemnity Act, 1873:" Cariboo, JAMES LINDSAY, Esq. Lillooet, A. W. SMITH, Esq.

Kootenay, Cornelius Booth, Esq. Yale, WM. TRAGUE, ESQ. New Westminster City and District, H. V. EDMONDS, Esq.

By Command. JOHN ASH, Provincial Secretary.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE 19th April, 1873. HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVER-nor has been pleased to appoint the folwing gentlemen to be Registrars of certain Electoral Districts, under and to carry out the

provisions of "The Qualification and Regisration of Voters Act, 1871." Cariboo, John Bowron, Esq. Kootenay, Cornelius Booth, Esq. Yale, WM. TEAGUE, F. Q.

Lillooet, A. W. SMITH, Esq. New Westminster City and District, H. V EDMONDS, Esq. By Command.

JOHN ASH. Provincial Secretary ap21

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. 19th April, 1873. HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT GOVERowing appointments:-BENJAMIN DOUGLAS, and ROBERT B. McMick-NG. Esos., of Yale, to be Coroners, for the Electoral District of Yale.

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ed on by SIDNEY JULY state of the late Firm.

P. A. EAKINS,

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Applications will be received at the office of the under-signed until the 10th day of May, for Water Works De-beatures, and should application is made for more it amount than the issue authorized by the Act, they will be distributed pro-rata. The Debentures will be issued at par, as follows, viz. 15,000......On 1st AUGUST, 1873; 75,000......On let APRIL, 1874; Payable in twenty-five years from date thereof.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria having the right to repurchase from time to time, the said Debentures for the purpose of withdrawing the same from the market, the numbers of the Debentures so to be repurchased, shall be decided by ballot, of which one month's notice shall be given, by publication in the Government Gazette, or in one or more of the local newspapers. The Debentures will bear interest at the tate of seven percent, per annum, payable half yearly, and coupons will be attached to each Debenture for said interest, which shall be paid on presentation as they become due. The security offered for repayment of Debentures is a follows, viz.:—

A preferential lien will be given on all works to be erected; also upon the land and other property acquired for Water Works purposes, and on the revenue, amounting to about \$50,000 per annum, which the Corporation have the power to raise under the Municipality Act, 1872, and the Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873, the Road Ordinance, 1869, and the Road Amendment Ordinance, 1870. Ample security is thus given to those wishing to invest in Debentures. A deposit of Ten per cent. on the amount of Debentures applied for, will require to be paid into the Bank of British North America to the credit of the Water Works account, a receipt for said deposit to accompany the application, and on the Debentures being issued, they will be placed in the said Bank, and handed over to the party who presents the Water Commissioner's certificate of his being entitled to receive the said Debentures, on his paying the full equivalent as mentioned in said certificate, and in the event of the Debentures not being fully paid for on the day of issue above mentioned, the deposit of Ten per cent shall be forfeited to the use of the Water Commissioner for Water Works

Mr. F W. Green, C. E., has been appointed by the Corporation as Engineer of the Works to be constructed; the proposed Works consi t in bringing water from Elk and Beaver Lakes into the City of Victoria, a distance of between five and six miles, and present no engineering difficulties in carrying out the undertaking. Forms of application for Debentures with Bank de posit receipt attached, as well as any further information that may be desired, can be had by application personally, or by letter addressed to the Commissioner.

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Boot & Shoe Manufing

Company, Limited.

CAPITAL \$100,000-With power

1000 Shares of \$100 Each

Deposit 10 per cent. ; Calls, not exceeding \$10 per Share, at intervals of not less than 30 Days.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS: R. FINLAYSON, E. GRANCINI,
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JOHN SWITZER, T. L. STAHLSCHMIDT.
Solicitors—DRAKE & JACKSON.

BANKERS: BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

THE COMPANY IS FORMED FOR the purpose of acquiring the property known as the Belmont Factory, situate on Esquimalt Harbor, and the business carried on therein, consisting of Tanning, and Boot and Shoe Manufacturing, and of continuing and Boot and Shoe Manufacturing, and of continuing the same.

The purchase would include the Land, Buildings, Machinery, Plant, Stock-in-Trade and goodwill of the business, all of which it is proposed shall be taken at a valuation to be made by competent disinterested persons.

The Boot and Shoe Department has for the past two years been carried on under the management of Mr. Switzer, almost exclusively by Chinese labor, at a small cost, but the recent addition of the Tannery, which was found a necessity, in order to maintain a sufficient supply of good material, has required a considerable outlay, and renders the introduction of further capital necessary for the proper development of the business.

The Factory is well arranged, and is fitted with the most approved Machinery.

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Thes Water Power which is utilized for the conduct of Works, is all that could be desired, and could readily be increased to ten time its present power, if at any time required, either for the purposes of this undertaking, or for any other Manufactory. The supply is derived from Springs on the Estate, is very soft in quality, and is never failing.

In fact the business is in thorough working order, and Mr. Switzer's services as Manager of the Werks will be retained upon terms favorable to the Company.

The Land consists of 546 acres, known as the Spring Vale Estate, some of which is of excellent quality.

The Timber is of considerable value for Firewood, the situation being favorable for easy delivery.

The operations of the Boot and Shoe Manufactory during the past two years have been highly satisfactory.

The goods are specially adapted to the requirements of the Provincial trade, have given general satisfaction, and at a profit successfully compete with the imported article.

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The importations of Boots and Shoes as declared at the Custom House for the year 1871, was about \$100,000, representing a selling value, after adding duties, etc., of say \$150,000. The importation for last year fell off considerably, the decrease being doubtless partially eccasioned by the local production. In addition to the demand for Boots and Shoes, as evidenced by the Customs House returns, the sales of Leather, produced at the Tannery have to be taken into account, when considering the entire field for the operations of the undertaking.

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The Tannery operations only commenced in August last, and as the tanning process involves a period of several months, the business of this Department is in its infancy—a very superior article is, however, being produced at low prices by an economical process, and, as there is no difficulty in obtaining an abundant supply of Hides, the outturn will be sufficient for the supply of the general demand for harness, mill belting, &c., in addition to the requirements of the Boot Factory.

The Belmont Boot and Shoe Factory was the first enterprise of its kind established in the Province, and its having been so far carried on with success is an assurance that, as population increases, very remunerative returns will be realised.

The value of industrial institutions to the well being of any country is indisputable, and as the hides produced in the Province are now being manufactured into leather, which in turn is made into Boots and Shoes, &c., (instead of as formerly being exported and the manufactured articles in turn imported,) the saving to the country by the undertaking is sufficiently obvious. It is, therefore, not unreasonable to assume that the advantages which the prosecution of such a reproductive institution insures will, aside from the remunerative character of the business, have due weight with all who are in any way interested in the prosperity of the Province.

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It should be remarked that this company will become at once possessed of two businesses with established connections, without any interruption to working or loss of time in transfer, and will therefore have from the first day of its possession a revenue from a business which is capable not only of immediate, but, in the future, almost unlimited extension.

Most similar undertakings of any magnitude are now worked successfully by joint stock companies, both in Great Britain and in the United States.

The transfer of the property to the Company will only be made upon terms satisfactory to the Provisional Board of Directors, based upon the valuation. The purchase will be effected to a large extent in shares retained by the present proprietor, a portion of which will not participate in any profit until a dividend of 10 per cent, has first been paid to the new shareholders.

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